

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1334

By McManus

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend David R. Carlisle on his exceptional twenty-five year tenure as the Principal at Riverdale Elementary and Middle School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those outstanding educational leaders who have devoted their careers to providing the highest quality education for Tennessee's students; and

WHEREAS, David R. Carlisle is one such leader who has dedicated twenty-five years to leading Shelby County's Riverdale Elementary and Middle School as its Principal; and

WHEREAS, since being appointed as Principal in 1983, Mr. Carlisle has led Riverdale to numerous successes, including the 1991 National Drug Free School Award, which was presented by President George H.W. Bush in the Rose Garden, the 1992 Reader's Digest National Hero in Education Award, and the Target Outstanding Award; and

WHEREAS, Principal David Carlisle truly serves as an inspiration to his colleagues and students alike, and his friendship and counsel are highly valued by those who are fortunate to know him; and

WHEREAS, Principal Carlisle epitomizes the ideal of the dedicated teacher who is wholly committed to the highest ideals of public service and quality education for all, and he should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and commend David R. Carlisle, Principal of Riverdale Elementary and Middle School, for his exceptional leadership throughout the course of his twenty-five year tenure and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.